BANGALORE DISTRICT BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD ORDINARY MEETING OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT BOARD HELD ON SATURDAY THE 4TH JUNE 1927.

Members.

Present.

Official ...	... 1	Non-officials ...	33.

Absent.

Officials ...	... Nil	Non-officials ...	5

Read proceedings of the last meeting held on 20th March 1927.

Resolution.—Read and recorded.

Deferred Subjects.

1. Read subjects referred to Education Sub-Committee with the resolutions of the Sub-Committee.

I. 1. Read letter No. 502, dated 8th October 1925, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, requesting to know if the Board is agreeable to meet the cost of improving the compound wall of the Anglo Hindustani School at Channapatna at an estimated cost of Rs. 870 out of the Education cess funds, in view of the fact that the cost of the school building was approximately paid out of the cess realisations of the district.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The Sub-Committee is of opinion that the existing wall may be improved from the savings under the Head of School building.

Adopted.

2. Read letter No. 96, dated 7th November 1925, from the President, Taluk Board, Nelamangala, forwarding the report of the Head Master, Government Vernacular English School, Mylahalli, Nelamangala Taluk, in the matter of the extension of the school building.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The extension of the building is necessary. The matter may be referred to the department.

Adopted.

3. Read letter No. Glc. 236—25-26, dated 12th November 1925, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, forwarding for opinion of the Board, two proposition statements submitted by the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Bangalore, for altering the scales of the following girls' schools.

1. Aralamallige, Dodballapur Taluk, 2. Gudemaranahalli, Magadi Taluk, 3. Huskur, Anekal Taluk, 4. Kudur, Magadi Taluk.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—May be approved.

Adopted.

4. Read letter No. 751, dated 12th November 1925, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, requesting to know the approval of the Board in the matter of providing Cuddapah slab flooring and a teak wood screen in the hall of the Middle School at Hoskote, at an estimated cost of Rs. 660 to be met out of the savings in the approved programme after re-appropriation, in view of the fact that the building has been constructed partly out of cess funds.

Resolution.—Cuddapah slab flooring is necessary, but the amount available for this work is too be known before the work is sanctioned. The question of providing the screen may be deferred for the present.

Adopted.

5. Read petition from the School Committee members of Gottigere Boys' School, Bangalore Taluk, praying for the conversion of the Primary School into an Incomplete Middle School in view of the fact that the place is a big one with a large number of school going boys and also has got a spacious building.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The matter may be recommended to the department for favourable consideration.

Adopted.

6. Read petition from the villagers of Heggunda, Nelamangala Taluk, praying for the extension of the school building, supply of furniture and an extra teacher owing to the growing strength of the school.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be referred to the department.

Adopted.

7. Read petition from the School Committee Members of Sivanahalli School, Kankanhalli Taluk, praying for the refund of Rs. 150 said to have been deposited in the Taluk Treasury between the dates 3rd October 1914 and 18th November 1914 towards the construction of the school, owing to the fact that since the building has not been constructed till

now, they themselves are prepared to construct the same at their own cost, and hand over to the authorities.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The plan of the building is to be approved by the department. The amount will be refunded only after the building is constructed after the approved plan.

Resolution.—Amount to be refunded on the understanding of constructing the building.

8. Read letter No. 151, dated 2nd December 1925, from the President, Taluk Board, Magadi, forwarding the extract from the resolutions of the Taluk Board in the matter of transfer of provision of Primary School, Marur, Magady Taluk, for converting the aided school at Dollenahalli in the same taluk into a Government one, with the observations of the President, Taluk Board.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The opinion of the President of the Taluk Board may be referred to the department.

Adopted.

9. Read report No. 30, dated 3rd December 1925, from the Chairman, Village Panchayet, Jigani, Anekal Taluk, submitting the copy of the resolutions of the panchayet in their meeting held on 3rd December 1925 for disposal.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—Recorded with the observation that the chairman of the committee may inform the President whether the educational census has been taken.

Adopted.

10. Read report of the members of the Primary Boys' School, Harohalli, Magadi Taluk, forwarding the proceedings of the committee meeting held on 12th December 1925, in which they pray that additional teacher may be sanctioned.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The question of sanctioning an extra teacher is to be referred to the department.

Adopted.

11. Read letter No. 981, dated 29th December 1925, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, requesting to know the views to the Board in the matter of the proposed construction of a school building at a cost of Rs. 2,500 for the Girls' School at Tyamagondlu in the Nelamangala Taluk, for which the people are said to have paid a contribution of Rs. 500 and the remainder to be met from the savings in the sanctioned items of works to be taken up out of the cess fund.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—May be sanctioned after knowing definitely what the amount of savings is.

Adopted.

12. Read letter No. C. 3352—25-26, dated 4th December 1925, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, requesting to know the opinion of the Board in the matter of constructing a room of 22' by 15' as per revised plan and estimate amounting to Rs. 1,200 for the Middle School at Yelahanka, Bangalore Taluk, the cost being met from the anticipated savings in the sanctioned programme of works.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—May be sanctioned after knowing definitely what the amount of savings is.

Adopted.

13. Read letter No. C. 3389—25-26, dated 6th January 1926, from the Inspector-General of Education, requesting to know the views of the Board in the matter of the proposed improvement of the Primary School building at Bukkasagara in the Anekal Taluk, at a cost of about Rs. 850 the same being met out of the savings from the sanctioned items.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—May be sanctioned, if funds are available.

Adopted.

14. Read letter No. H. 1533—I. S., dated 19th January 1926, from the Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore, requesting to know if the Dodballapur Taluk Board and the Bangalore District Board would contribute any portion towards the initial cost in the matter of putting up a suitable building at a cost of Rs. 10,000 for the Industrial School at Dodballapur.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This is beyond the scope of District Educational cess fund.

Adopted.

15. Read letter No. 2566, dated 13—15th February 1926, from the District Inspector of Urdu Education, Bangalore Division, requesting to know if the Board would find funds for opening lacquer works and wood turning class under the practical instruction scheme in the Urdu Middle School at Closepet, the total recurring cost being Rs. 70 a month and the non-recurring cost being Rs. 250.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be sanctioned if the Government are pleased to sanction half the cost as the cess funds for the recurring expenditure at the disposal of the Board is almost exhausted.

Resolution.—From the amount provided for Industrial Schools.

16. Read letter No. 303, dated 21st March 1926, from the President, Taluk Board, Anekal, forwarding the extract from the Taluk Board, resolutions of the meeting held on 2nd March 1926, *re* the establishment of a Government School at Hebbagodi village, Anekal Taluk.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be referred to the department. A school may be given to Hebbagodi by readjustment.

Adopted.

17. Read letter No. H. 2005—C., dated 25—26th March 1926, from the Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore, requesting to know if the Board would advance half the cost of charkas to be supplied to Dommasandra and also the amount of the cost of opening the weaving class for the use of women from the funds of the District Board.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—The matter may be referred to the Educational Department.

Adopted.

18. Read letter No. 4320-21—488, dated 11—12th March 1926, from the District Inspector of Education, Bangalore, forwarding the application of the Head Master of the Incomplete Middle School, Seekote, Bangalore Taluk, *re* the sanction of a peon to the school and recommending the sanction of a menial allowance of Rs. 9 a month.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—As funds are not available, the District Inspector may be requested to give a peon by re-adjustment if possible.

Adopted.

19. Read letter No. 233, dated 13th March 1926, from the President, Taluk Board, Nelamangala, forwarding the extract from the resolutions of the Taluk Board in the matter of establishing a girls' school at Maralakunte village and giving an additional land to the Primary Boys' School at the same place. The Taluk Board have resolved that the same may be recommended to be sanctioned.

Resolution.—The matter may be referred to the District Inspector of Education.

Adopted.

20. Read letter No. 263, dated 12th April 1926, from the President, Taluk Board, Nelamangala, stating that as the villagers of Halkur in the Nelamangala Taluk are very enthusiastic in having a school at the place and as they have come forth with the promise of building a school house free of cost, a teacher might be deputed.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be referred to the department.

Adopted.

21. Read report from Mr. D. Kongadiappa, Honorary Organiser, Dodballapur, praying that a Government School may be given to the village of Aralasandra, Kankanhalli Taluk, for the use of the Adikarnatakas people in view of the fact of the great strength of that community at the place and their eager enthusiasm.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be referred to the department.

Adopted.

22. Read letter No. 5544—608, dated 3rd—5th May 1926, from the District Inspector of Education, Bangalore, stating that it is necessary to attend to the item of providing doors and windows and Cuddapah flooring to the Incomplete Middle School at Dodhejjaji.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—This may be referred to the Inspector-General of Education.

Adopted.

23. Read letter No. 250, dated 3rd April 1926, from the President, Taluk Board, Kankanhalli, forwarding the estimate *re* the construction of school building at Binnimukudlu, Kankanhalli Taluk, requesting that the same may be got sanctioned.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—An estimate of cost for constructing a building according to the type design may be obtained.

Adopted.

24. Read reports of attendance officers of the Compulsory Education Committee (1) Closepet Sub-Taluk for the months of October, November, December 1925 and January 1926.

(2) Anekal Taluk for the month of October 1925.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—Recorded.

25. Read Memo No. 160, dated 15th July 1926, from the District Inspector of Education, Bangalore, forwarding for opinion of the Board, the copy of the resolution of the Taluk Board, Kankanhalli, in the matter of giving a weaving class for Harohalli, Kankanhalli Taluk.

Resolution of the Sub-Committee.—Funds are not available. The department may kindly consider the matter.

As the annual income from cess fund is very nearly equal to the recurring expenditure already committed, it is not possible to find funds for the establishment of new schools and the construction of new school buildings and also for the repairs and extension of existing buildings, Government may be requested to sanctioned two-third of the cost as they have been doing in the case of the Educational Institutions in the City Municipalities.

Adopted.

2. Read letter No. 1413, dated 16th December 1926, from the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, forwarding an estimate and plan for the special repairs of Bangalore-Mysore road amounting to Rs. 4,074.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the budget, *i.e.*, 1927-28 is sanctioned.

NELAMANGALA TALUK.

3. Read Nelamangala Taluk Board President's No. 183, dated 14th December 1926, recommending refund of the surplus amount of the sale of cattle impounded.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

ORDINARY SUBJECTS.

General.

1. Read Draft Budget estimates of the Bangalore District Board for the year 1927-28 and proceedings of the meeting of the Standing Committee of 1st June 1927.

The budget was passed in accordance with the suggestions of the Standing Committee with the modification noted below :—

That the provision for travelling allowance to District Board and committee members be enhanced to Rs. 2,500 as the number of members to each of the Economic and Health Committees is large, the members being elected to represent all the ten taluks on account of the abolition of Taluk Boards.

2. Election of members to different committees.

Economic Development Committee.

1 Mr. S Puttanna
2 „ B Srinivasa Iyengar
3 „ Guruswamy Gowda
4 „ Yelekrishnappa
5 „ Veere Gowda
6 „ C Narahariah
7 „ G Venkataramana Gowda
8 „ M B Gurulingiah
9 „ V Venkatappa
10 „ T Ramachendra Rao
11 Srimathi Parvathamma
12 Mr. G B Raghavendrachar, B.A
13 Mr. N V Narayana Murthy
14 „ B M Munisamappa
15 The President
16 The District Economic Superintendent
17 The District Inspector of Education
18 The Deputy Director of Agriculture
19 The Assistant Superintendent, Veterinary Department.
20 The Senior Sericultural Inspector, Channapatna Farm.
21 The District Superintendent of Industries

Health Committee

1 Mr. B M Munisamappa
2 „ A Madappa
3 „ Venkatasubbaiya
4 „ B Venkatappa
5 „ Hanumegowda
6 „ B Mallappa
7 „ G Mudde Gowda
8 „ M B Gurulingiah
9 Mr. V Venkatappa
10 „ Puttarama Chetty
11 „ B D Naidu
12 „ F M Abdul Quddus
13 „ M Nagappa
14 „ S N Sitharama Rao
15 Srimathi Parvathiammal
16 The District Medical Officer

3. Consideration of the question of appointment of a Vice-President or a Chief Officer for the District Board.

Resolution.—Resolved that a Vice-President be appointed. Carried unanimously.

4. Read letter No. 24794, dated 12th May 1927, from the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, suggesting that 2 more Veterinary Dispensaries one at Hoskote and the other at Nelamangala be opened and that necessary provision be made in the next year's budget.

Resolution.—Resolved that two Veterinary Dispensaries be started one in Hoskote and the other in Nelamangala.

5. Read letter No. "nil" dated 29th April 1927, from the Principal, Ayurvedic College, Mysore, recommending the grant of a scholarship of Rs. 25 per mensem tenable for four years for a student of this district to undergo Ayurvedic training at Mysore.

Resolution.—Resolved that two scholarships of Rs. 15 each per mensem to be given on the clear understanding of the scholarship holder should serve the District Board for a period of five years.

6. Read letter No. 1754—C., dated 8th April 1927, from the Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore, requesting to place Rs. 200 at their disposal for the purchase and supply of charkas to indigent people.

Resolution.—Resolved that the last meeting's resolution be re-affirmed.

7. Read Executive Engineer's letter No. 1899, dated 9th March 1927, requesting for countersignature of an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,000 for the special repairs of Bangalore-Dommasandra road.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the sanction of the Budget.

8. Read letters dated 28th February 1927 and 30th March 1927 from the Chairman of the Reception Committee of the 2nd Provincial Lambani Conference praying for a contribution.

Resolution.—Resolved that a contribution of Rs. 25 be paid.

9. Read letter No. Mis. 12, dated 9th April 1927, from the Municipal Commissioner, Bangalore City, and letter No. M. 1—234, dated 14th April 1927, from the District Medical Officer, Bangalore, requesting sanction to the grant of the District Fund quota of house rent of Rs. 12 per month to the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in charge of the Ganigarpet Dispensary.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is not possible.

10. Read Government Order No. L. 6920-6—L. B. 118-24-12, dated 31st March 1927, calling for the opinion of the Board *re* the transfer of District Bonds and *Ad-interim* orders to the name of the heirs of the deceased holders without the production of succession certificate in cases where the amount does not exceed one thousand.

Resolution.—Resolved that this may be done as the Board has no objection.

11. Read letter No. 12, dated 9th March 1927, from the Honorary Secretary, Bangalore Temperence Federation, forwarding the copy of their resolution expressing their deep sense of gratitude and high appreciation of the hearty co-operation and sympathetic assistance rendered by the President of the District Board to the Federation during the Art Exhibition held in December 1926.

"Resolved to record its deep sense of gratitude for and high appreciation of the hearty co-operation and sympathetic assistance rendered by the President of the District Board, Bangalore to the Federation during the Art Exhibition held at the Cubbon Park in December 1926."

Resolution.—Recorded with thanks.

12. Read annual report of Vaccination of the Bangalore District for the calender year 1926, submitted by the Chief Sanitary Inspector.

Recorded.

13. Read review on the Vital Statistics of this District for the year ending 31st December 1926, submitted by the Chief Sanitary Inspector and the District Medical Officer in his letter No. 1-85,—Sc., dated the 4th May 1927.

Resolution.—Recorded with the observation that a copy of the same be placed before the Health Committee.

14. Read Executive Engineer's letter No. 1173, dated 23rd November 1926, requesting for a grant of Rs. 7,000 for original works and Rs. 11,000 for special repairs and No. 2289, dated 14th April 1927, from the same officer submitting a rough estimate of expenditure to be incurred for District Fund Works during the year 1926-27.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the budget is sanctioned.

15. Read letter No. Fl. 1898, dated 2nd February 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education (Financial Branch) requesting for the views of the Board in the matter of adjustment of the outlay incurred from the Education Cess Fund at the close of the year instead of by payments through crossed cheques.

Resolution.—Resolved that the present system to be continued as the suggestion is not acceptable.

16. Read letter No. Glc. 236—25-26, dated 28th February 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, requesting for the views of the Board in the matter of the proposal for transfer of superfluous provision from the Cess Schools to the State Fund schools and *vice versa*.

Resolution.—Resolved that the request is not one that can be accepted.

17. Read letter No. Dl. Dis. 259—26-27, dated 22nd April 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, stating that the construction of school buildings of the close type design for all primary schools is not possible, as Government have approved the existing type design.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Government may be addressed in the matter.

18. Read Government Order No. L. 7222-9—L. B. 188-26, dated 9th April 1927, requesting for the opinion of the Board:

(1) *Re*: the travelling allowance bills of Presidents and Vice-Presidents of District Boards.

Resolution.—The present system to continue.

(2) Question of admitting claims of members in case of bus journeys the actual cost of travelling in the highest class.

Resolution.—Resolved that the attention of the Government may be invited to the previous resolution of the Board.

ANEKAL TALUK.

19. Read Executive Engineer's No. 2309, dated 21st April 1927, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,480 for special repairs of Iglur-Gumlapur road of the Anekal Taluk for countersignature.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the Budget is sanctioned.

20. Read Deputy Commissioner's No. 189-93—26-27, dated 23rd April 1927, forwarding a note written by the District Economic Superintendent on the Weaving Industry at Anekal and requesting the District Board to pay an advance of Rs. 5,000 for the opening of a Co-operative Society for the benefit of weavers.

Resolution.—Resolved that a sum of Rs. 5,000 be dipositied in the society for a period of five years at 3 per cent.

21. Read Deputy Commissioner's D. O. No. 78—26-27, dated 30th April 1927, *re* the construction of a Third Class Travellers' Bungalow at Bannerghatta at the spot pointed out by the Dewan Saheb on 12th April 1927.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

22. Read letter No. 450, dated 28th April 1927, from the Senior Surgeon *re* the payment of the District Fund quota for the construction of a combined dispensary at Attibele after recovering the gift of Rs. 5,000 promised by Mr. Serabanna of Attibele.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

23. Read subjects brought forward by Mr. A. Madappa, Member, District Board.

(i) The road from Sarjapur to Chick Thirupathi of Malur Taluk is necessary, as the latter is a place of piligrimage, etc. Both the District Boards may in consultation have the road opened, the distance of the road to be undertaken by each will be only 2½ miles in length.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Kolar District Board be consulted.

(ii) Constructing a musafirkhana at Attibele as it is very necessary.

Resolution.—Not necessary.

(iii) The existence of Chandapur shandy is a great loss to the marchants of Anekal, Attibele, Sarjapur and Dommasandra, Hoskote and other places, and this has much affected their trade. Therefore, the shandy at Chendapur be with advantage abolished.

A letter No. 271, dated 31st January 1927, from Anekal Taluk Board President, recommending the abolition of the same.

Resolution.—Resolved that it need not be abolished as it interferes with free trade 2 against.

24. Read Anekal Taluk Board President's No. 111—26-27, dated 28th October 1926, submitting a refund bill in favour of Patel Nenkatappa for Rs. 10-12-0, being the sale proceeds of manure.

Resolution—Sanctioned.

DODBALLAPUR TALUK.

25. Read Dodballapur Taluk Board President's No. 233, dated 29th January 1927, requesting sanction for Rs. 100 towards the cost of Cattle Show held during the Car Festival of "Sri Prasanna Venkataramanaswami" at Dodballapur Town.

Resolution.—Not possible.

DEVANHALLI TALUK.

26. Read Chief Engineer's No. 712, dated 18th September 1926, returning the estimate for the construction of the Musafirkhana at Devanhalli.

Resolution.—Resolved that the building be constructed with the modifications suggested by the President, *viz.*, to have the whole building constructed in one block as in Anekal.

NELAMANGALA TALUK.

27. Read subjects brought forward by Mr. B. Mallappa, Member, District Board:

I. The road leading from Tyamagondlu to Kolar-Sompur road, *via* Thavarekere near the Muddaliganahalli is in urgent need of repairs. This may be ordered to be repaired and a culvert constructed in the middle.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is necessary and to be taken up after bringing the matter with the cost before the Board again.

II. In the 3rd, 4th and 5th furlongs of 67th mile of Kolar-Sompur road, there exists a high gradient. This may be got lowered or the road deviated towards Nidavanda Railway Feeder road.

Resolution.—Resolved that deviation is necessary and an estimate to be called for.

III. A road may be constructed from Yelekyathanahalli road to Dod Koratigere road *via* Hegunda village.

Resolution.—Resolved that an estimate be got prepared. (Necessary.)

IV. The villagers of Makankuppe in Thyamagondlu Hobli have sunk a well and have tapped water. The stone revetment may be got done by the District Board.

Resolution.—Resolved that steps be taken to give them a well.

V. The Government well at Somasagara, Thyamagondlu Hobli has no water and requires to be deepened.

Resolution.—Resolved that steps be taken to deepen the well.

28. Read Executive Engineer's No. 1951, dated 3rd March 1927, forwarding an estimate and a report for the improvement of the road-dam at 5/1 mile of Niduvanda-Yelekyathanahalli Railway Feeder Road, for countersignature.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the budget is sanctioned.

29. Read petition of Nelamangala residents praying.

(1) Opening of a practical Instruction Class attached to Nelamangala Boys' Middle School.

Resolution.—Refer to the Education Department.

CHANNAPATNA TALUK.

30. Read Deputy Commissioner's No. C. 9-1842—26-27, dated 31st March 1927, forwarding an estimate for widening Channapatna-Halagur road running on the Kodamballi tank bund in Channapatna Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Revenue Department be requested to pay their quota towards the restoration of the tank.

31. Read Executive Engineer's No. 971, dated 5th November 1926, forwarding an estimate and plan for constructing Menials' quarters and compound wall to the Veterinary Dispensary at Channapatna and requesting for a quota of Rs. 1,200.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

32. Read Channapatna Taluk Board President's No. 449, dated 21st April 1926, praying for a contribution of Rs. 500 for the construction of additional accomodation at the Silk Farm.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

33. Read petition of Kodamballi villagers praying that a Vaidyasala and a school be opened at their place as it is central to the Verupakshipoor Hobli.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

CLOSEPET TALUK.

34. Read Closepet Deputy Amildar's No. Muzrai 42—25-26, dated 9th April 1927, submitting an estimate for Rs. 3,700 for constructing a musafirkhana on the top of Sri Rama Hills, Closepet Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is not necessary.

BANGALORE TALUK.

35. Read Bangalore Taluk Amildar's No. 625, dated "nil" stating that a Vaidyasala be opened at Kengeri.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

HOSKOTE TALUK.

36. Read Executive Engineer's No. 2310, dated 21st April 1927, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 814 for special repairs of Hoskote-Malur Railway Feeder Road, for countersignature.

Resolution.—To be considered next year, after the budget is sanctioned.

KANKANHALLI TALUK.

37. Subjects brought forward by Mr. Muddayya, Member, District Board.

I To sanction the necessary furniture to Harohalli Travellers' Bungalow.

Resolution.—To be taken up after the scheme is ready.

II. To sanction railings on both sides of the Harohalli tank bund as the road passing thereon is narrow and dangerous to the public.

Resolution.—Resolved that it is not necessary.

III. Shifting of the Toddy Shop at Harohalli from the 25th mile 1st furlong to 25th mile 7th furlong.

Resolution.—Recommend to Deputy Commissioner.

IV. To begin the road work of Harohalli-Maralwadi.

Resolution.—Resolved that Government sanction be awaited.

SUPPLEMENTARY SUBJECTS.

38. Read Deputy Commissioner's No. P. 32—26-27, dated 18th May 1927, suggesting that at least 50 per cent of the amount which was handed over by the Taluk Board to the District Board may be made available to the Village Panchayets for sinking drinking water wells whereever necessary and requesting to place the funds at his disposal.

Resolution.—As already resolved 75 per cent of the amount has been reserved for works of Public utility. So it is not possible to make any fund available for any other purpose.

39. Read D. O. No. 3356—C. B., dated 19th May 1927, from the Chief Secretary to Government intimating that the portion in which the District Board Office is located has to

be made available to the University before the College re-opens after the summer vacation and requesting to arrange to shift the District Board Office to a rented building very early.

Resolution.—Resolved that a convenient building be selected and occupied. Meanwhile Government to be requested for the grant of a site free of cost in the sites formed in the compound of the Central Jail.

40. Read Executive Engineer's No. 2496, dated 18th May 1927, requesting that the estimate amounting to Rs. 667 for repairing bridges and drains on Kankanhalli-Kodihalli road be sanctioned immediately as further delay will result in heavy expenditure to the District Board.

Resolution.—To be considered next year after the budget is sanctioned.

41. Celebration of Silver Jubilee.

Resolution.—A sum of Rs. 15,000 to be paid from the Closing Balance.

Proposed by Mr. Hayes. Seconded by Rao Bahadur B. V. Venkataswamy Naidu and Mr. Sitarama Rao.

Carried unanimously.

42. Read Thakarars of Messrs. A. R. Kummaraguru Mudaliar, Dadu Sab and Hindiganal Jodidar about the sales of shandies of Madiwala, Krishnarajpur and Hindignal respectively.

Resolution.—Resolved that the following resolution of the Standing Committee be approved.

Standing Committee's Resolution.—Resolved that, the shandies should be under the control of the District Board, but such of the shandies which were or are under the enjoyment of private persons may be paid one-fourth of the entire income in Government villages and one-third income in alienated villages on the condition of their production of a clear proof of their right and enjoyment of such shandies.

43. Read letter No. 4615-16, dated 18th May 1927, from the District Inspector of Urdu Education, Bangalore, requesting an advance of Rs. 1,000 towards the completion of the building of the Anjuman-i-Islamia at Anekal which is intended for a school.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

44. Read letter No. 4264, dated 23rd April 1927, from the District Inspector of Urdu Education, Bangalore, recommending a grant of Rs. 10 to the aided Urdu School started by Abdul Wahab at Konnasandra, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore Taluk.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

45. Read District Economic Superintendent's No. C. 214, dated 3rd May 1927, requesting for the grant of two scholarships of Rs. 8 for one year to students of Anekal to undergo training in Channapatna Government Industrial School. One Mr. Munisamappa represented the need of it to the Dewan Saheb.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

46. Read Deputy Commissioner's No. C. 2-318—26-27, dated 23rd March 1927, forwarding the Government Order No. L. 5734-41, dated 16th February 1927, requesting to suggest in consultation with the District Board and its President, the rates at which fees may be levied for each of the purpose for which licenses are granted under Sub-Section 2 of Section 56 of the Mysore District Regulation.

Resolution.—Standing Committee's resolution approved.

Resolution of the Standing Committee:—

(*a*) A fee of annas two on every sheep or goat and annas four on every other animals slaughtered for sale may be levied.

(*b*) *Cart stands*:—A fee ranging from Rs. 10 to Rs. 20 per annum may be levied at the discretion of the President according to dimensions.

(*c*) *Ferries.*—A fee ranging from Rs. 5 to Rs. 20 per annum at the discretion of the President and according to the importance of the locality may be levied.

(*d*) *Markets.*—It was resolved that the shandies should be under the control of the District Board, but such of the shandies which were or are under the enjoyment of private persons may be paid one-fourth of the entire income in Government villages and one-third income in alienated villages on the condition of their production of a clear proof of their right and enjoyment of such shandies.

47. Read subjects moved by Mr. S. N. Sitarama Rao:—

(*a*) Establishment of a Vydyasala at Kayeanghatta, Sivanapur, Nandigudi Hobli, Hoskote Taluk.

Resolution.—The Vydyasala at Hindignal to be transferred to Shivanapur after inspection.

(*b*) Opening of a Panchama School in the same village.

Resolution.—Refer to Education Department.

48. Read subjects moved by Mr. V. Venkatappa of Channapatna :—

(1) Repairing Nidasale Road passing on Ramanakere Tank Bund.

Resolution.—Resolved that steps be taken to improve the road.

(2) Converting the grant school at Thittamaranahalli into a Government School.

Resolution.—Recommend again.

(3) Introducing spinning in all the schools in district

Resolution.—Recommend to department.

49. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar, proposed that a monthly grant of Rs. 3, be paid to the Reading Room "Hindu Muslim Seva Samaj" Solur, as requested by the Secretary of the Samaj.

Mr. S. Puttanna, seconded and Mr. V. Venkatappa, supported the same.

Resolution.—Carried.

50. Read subject moved by Mr. Munisamappa, Member, District Board, that Vaidyasalas be started in places far off from the Local Fund Dispensaries, such as Krishnarajpur, Begur, etc.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

51. Mr. S. K. Narasimhia moved that a subvention of Rs. 50, be paid to Govindanandaswami to encourage the industry of manufacturing artificial flowers, etc., from the Economic Development Funds.

Mr. S. N. Seetharama Rao seconded and Mr. B. Srinivasaingar supported the same.

Resolution.—Carried.

Additional Subjects.

1. Read proposal for the revision of fees to be levied and the scale of the establishment of travellers' bungalows and musafirkhanas in the district.

Resolution.—

Third class travellers' bungalows	Re. 0 8	0 per day.
Musafirkhanas, etc	Re. 0 4	0 per day.

No concession of three days.

Next meeting in the end of August 1927.

Mr. Seetharama Rao, proposed that the next meeting be held in Nelamangala Taluk.

Seconded by Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar.

Supported by Mr. G. Venkataramana Gowda.

Passed unanimously.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON 1ST JUNE 1927.

Members.

Present 5

Subject No. 1—Checking of accounts from November 1926 to February 1927.

Deferred for want of time.

Subject No. 2—Permanent clerical staff required for the New District Board as per resolution of the Finance Committee, dated 7th December 1927; and

Subject No. 3—Temporary record sorter for sorting the pending records of the ten Taluk Boards, as per Government Order.

Resolution.—The previous Finance Committee had resolved that three more clerks in addition to the six clerks now working in the District Board Office, may be appointed for work under the District Board. But the Standing Committee resolves that an additional clerk of Rs. 50—4—70, may be appointed from 1st July 1927, both for coping with the additional work devolved on the District Board, on the abolition of Taluk Boards and also for sorting records, etc., instead of three clerks formerly proposed by the Finance Committee. The Financial aspect of this will be Rs. 600 less per year than the previous proposal.

Subject No. 4—Entertainment of engineering staff.

Resolution.—Resolved that a separate engineering staff be entertained under the District Board.

Subject No. 5—Draft Budget Estimates of the District Board for the year 1927-28.

Read: (*a*) Explanatory Note of the President on the revised estimates for 1926-27.

Resolution.—The revised estimates are adopted with the observation that a further sum of Rs. 75,000, may be invested in the Mysore Bank out of the closing balance of Rs. 1,93,902,

(*b*) The office note explaining the reasons for arriving at the figures for the year 1927-28.

Resolution.—It was resolved that the office note may be adopted and the figures shown therein incorporated for the draft budget estimates of 1927-28, with the following observations and modifications.

RECEIPTS.

F. Public Debt.

(6) *Drinking Water Wells Fund.*—An income of Rs. 5,000, being the grant from Government, an equal sum of Rs. 5,000, from the District Funds proper and a sum of Rs. 1,000 by way of contribution from the villagers and Village Panchayets making a total of Rs. 11,000, under this head may be provided.

EXPENDITURE.

A. Public Works executed by the Public Works Department.—Only maintenance charges of Rs. 68,938, with a sum of Rs. 5,000, for special repairs may be provided with the usual establishment tools and plants charges. With regard to the provision of Rs. 7,000, for original works and Rs. 15,000 for special repair works asked for by the Executive Engineer, the Standing Committee brings to the notice of the Board the resolution of the previous finance committee and District Board, made on 15th August 1926, and also the Government Order on passing the budget for 1925-26 and 1926-27, which runs as follows :—

> "The demand is very great. The present financial condition and the income of the District Board cannot permit of such a heavy provision for special repairs and original works. The mileage allotment was increased to prevent such heavy demand. So the provision of Rs. 26,000, for original and special repairs with the establishment charges has to be deleted. If any improvement or construction works or special repairs are found necessary, the estimate for such works if sent early to allow the District Board sufficient time for consideration, each case will have its due consideration of the Board *as funds permit.*"

B. Public Works executed by the Civil Department.—Add a provision of Rs. 5,000 under Drinking Water Wells Fund subject to the condition that the entire control of giving wells be vested with the District Board on the condition of the villagers giving their quota of contribution towards wells as was previously being done.

C. Administration and Collection.—As the volume of work in the District Board Office, has increased and all the Taluk Board records have to be sorted, a provision of Rs. 600, for an additional clerk on Rs. 50—4—70 may be provided, instead of the three clerks as approved by the former Finance Committee. Retain the provision made for eleven Sanitary Inspectors, ten clerks, and eleven peons as the matter is pending the sanction of Government.

C. 1. e.—As the Board have resolved to pay an allowance of Rs. 250 per mensem to the Honorary President a provision of Rs. 3,600, may be made for the allowance of the President and the Vice-President.

D. 1. d.—*Plague, Cholera and other charges.*—Provide a sum of Rs. 1,000 more for the purchase of magic lantern and for purchasing medicines.

Raise the provision under Drinking Water Well Funds from Rs. 15,000 to 20,000.

Resolved that with the above modifications the budget may be placed before the District Board for sanction.

Comparing the income and expenditure of the Board there is an excess expenditure of Rs. 22,441, under Service Heads. This expenditure is due to the provision of Rs. 40,000 made for completing the works under progress and opening out new roads construction of buildings for veterinary dispensaries, etc., and other works of public utility, and this the Committee proposes that the same may be met from the balance amount received from the Taluk Boards which amounts to Rs. 1,24,000.

Subject No. 6.—Bye-laws regarding the grant of scholarships.

Resolution.—Resolved that the following Bye-laws may be adopted :—

1. The course of training will be as determined by the respective institutions.
2. As the training is mainly practical the students should at least possess the required qualifications prescribed for the respective courses.
3. The scholarships shall be named, "District Board Scholarships" and may be awarded to students of this district undergoing training in any of the Government farms in the State.
4. The scholarship will only be opened for Mysoreans by birth or domicile and may be awarded to students having lands in this district only.
5. The number of scholarships that may be awarded each year, the amount of each such scholarship will be decided by the District Board, before the end of June every year.
6. The training to be given to District Board stipendaries being mainly practical in nature and intended to support them in life as professionalists, it is

desirable that the scholarships shall be given to candidates, who would be useful in their localities and spread their knowledge and be also useful for the district people as a whole.

7. Candidates should give an undertaking in the form prescribed or may be prescribed from time to time by the Board in writing.
8. The scholarships shall be paid to the students by the District Board, on bills countersigned by the officers of the department of training and shall be tenable during the period of their course on a certificate of good behaviour and satisfactory progress.
9. The student should be amenable to the rules and regulations of the institutions where they are posted for training and shall be under the control of the officer of the department of training in all matters of discipline.

The form of application for scholarships will be as follows:—

Form of Application for "District Board Scholarship"

Sir,

As I am desirous of undergoing training in Sericulture, Agriculture or Horticulture and as I am unable to get training without the help of a scholarship, I beg you will kindly grant me one of the scholarships and enable me to get training in one of the Government farms in the State. I agree to be bound by the rules of the institution.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Applicant.

Signature of parent or guardian.
Date,
Place.

Details to be furnished by applicant—

1. Full name	
2. Father's name and address	
3. Age of the applicant	
4. Present residence and permanent address	
5. Caste	
6. Is he an agriculturist at present?	
7. What is the extent of his land fit for cultivation?	
8. How long has he been practising the industry?	
9. If he wishes to start the industry in a new area, has he lands fit for improved cultivation? If so, what is the area of total land and how much does he wish to make use of?	
10. Educational qualifications	

Certificate from the Patel of the Village or the Chairman of the Village Panchayet:

I certify that the above applicant is living in this place and has lands fit for improved cultivation. The details given above are correct. The applicant may be given a scholarship.

Signature.

Date.

Subject No. 7—Framing of rules for the grant of loans for the encouragement of charkas, poultry farm, etc.

Resolved that the following rules may be adopted:

1. Small loans for encouragement of Charka, Poultry farms, etc., not exceeding Rs. 100 will be granted to each individual by the District Board, Bangalore.

2. The loans will be granted to indigent persons on the recommendation of the Committee free of interest.

3. The maximum period for the repayment of loans will be three years and it is at the discretion of District Board President to relax the period in deserving cases.

4. The property to be hypothicated for the loan should be free from the encumbrances and the loan to be granted shall not exceed two-third of the estimated value of the property.

5. Loans will also be granted on collateral securities.

6. The forms prescribed for the Land Improvement loans will be adopted for these loans also.

7. The Sanitary Inspector will hold the enquiry with the assistance of a District Board Member of the taluk, the Patel and Shanbhog of the village.

8. Encumbrance certificate should be obtained from the Sub-Registrar before granting the loan in cases of immoveable properties to be hypothicated.

Subject No. 8. Fixing of scale of caretakers, Vaidyasalas and the furniture required to the third class travellers' bungalows and musafirkhanas.

Deferred for a complete and final inspection of the same by the President and a note on the subject by the President. But it was resolved that a scavenging allowance of Rs. 2 per mensem for other travellers' bungalows, musafirkhanas where no such arrangement till now exists may be provided and paid for in the meanwhile.

9. *Contribution towards the Silver Jubilee.*—It was resolved that a sum of Rs. 5,000 may be recommended to be paid by the District Board towards this function.

Subject No. 10. Government Order No. Fl. 8636-95—G. F. 235-26-2, dated 14th May 1927, regarding the house building advance to the employees in the Cities of Mysore and Bangalore.

Resolved that the concession contemplated in the Government Order read above may be extended to the employees under this District Board also as the employees under the District Board are almost on a same footing as that of the employees under several departments of Government and experience same difficulties as they do in the cities and that Government be addressed in the matter to accord their kind sanction.

Subject No. 11. Letter No. L. 5734-41, dated 16th February 1927, from the Secretary to Government, requesting the Board to submit rates at which fees may be levied for license granted by the District Board under Sub-Section 2 of Section 56 of Mysore District Boards' Regulation.

Resolution.—(*a*) A fee of annas two on every sheep or goat and annas four on every other animal slaughtered for sale may be levied.

(*b*) *Cart Stands.*—A fee ranging from Rs. 10 to Rs. 20 per annum may be levied at the discretion of the President according to dimensions.

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12. Moved by Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar, B.A.

"Resolved that the question of handing over the control and management of all primary schools in the district to the District Board on similar terms as has been given to other Local Bodies may be recommended to Government, as this Board is spending every year more than a lakh of rupees in this direction."

Passed unanimously.

The resolution of the District Board passed in their meeting held on 2nd, 3rd and 14th September 1926 be again brought to the notice of Government.

13. A further sum of Rs. 75,000 may be invested in the Mysore Bank.

B. ABDUR RAHMON,
President, District Board.